repairs on the Magnolia that enabled her to go direct to New York with only one boiler. These repairs were made after many of the same profession had remarked that nothing could be done with her there to render her seaworthy.

The Blockading Squadron.

OUR NAVAL CORRESPONDENCE.

OFF CHARLESTON, April 12, 1862.

An Attempt to Run the Blockade—The Vessel Fired at, and Beached—A Sloop Captured by the Susquehanna.

This morning about seven o'clock a large schooner was seen approaching Charleston via the Rattlesnake Shoal channel; the wind was blowing heavy from the northeast, and she was coming down before it with great speed. The Augusta and Sumter fired at her at long range, but the shot fell short. The gunboat Huron, being of lighter draught, succeeded in getting close enough to reach her with her eleven-inch pivot gun; but the sea was very heavy, and gave so much motion to her that it was next to impossible to tell where the shot would strike; but enough of them went sufficiently near the schooner to terrify them so that they ran her ashore just at the mouth of Beach Inlet, between Sullivan's and Long Island. The sea is now making a clean breach over her. It was their intention to run into Bull's Bay; but on discovering our volunteer man-of-war inside, they headed for this place as stated above. Had there been less sea on the Huron could have gone in close enough to have taken her as a prize. However, she is safe enough for the present, and when the wind and sea subsides we will attend to her case, so that she will be a total lost to the rebels. It has been blowing fresh from the northeast for the last four days. There is nothing further of interest to communicate from this place. The blockade is very efficient at this time, and in my opinion cannot be evaded or run by the smartest of them.

On the 3d instant the Susquehanna captured a small sloop from Nassau, with boots, shoes, salt, matches, cheese, &c., &c. Her name, I think, is Coquette. She has been sent to Philadelphia.

The Navy.

SHEPHERD KNAPP—Eight guns, sloop of war. This vessel sailed yesterday. Some alterations and additions having been made in the list of her officers, we publish the list in full:—

Acting Lieutenant Commanding—Henry S. Eytinge.
Acting Master and Executive Officer—B. Cunningham.
Acting Master—A. R. Hunter, John M. Hudson.
Acting Assistant Paymaster—R. M. Trimble.
Acting Assistant Surgeon—W. W. Wilkins.
Acting Master's Mates—G. P. St. John, Raymond Rabodam, Cecil C. Niel.

City Intelligence.

PRINTERS' RECEPTION.—The New York Typographical Society will hold a Printers' Reception at their Library rooms, No. 3 Chambers street, on Wednesday evening, the 7th inst. The delegates to the Printers' Convention, assembled from the loyal States, have accepted an invitation and will be present on the occasion. Short addresses will be made by distinguished members of the press, and other interesting exercises, affording a very pleasant evening's entertainment.

MISSING—Since the evening of April 30, a young man of about thirty years of age, stout built, fair complexion, and dressed in a suit of black clothes. Any information addressed to C. B., box 145 Herald office, will be thankfully received.

Postal Affairs.

[From Holbrook's United States Mail.]

ABUSE OF THE MAILS.—But few persons are aware of the extent to which the mail and post office facilities afforded by the government are employed to answer the ends of swindlers, and for immoral and vicious purposes. One of the latest dodges of these rogues is the publication of advertisements in country papers, signed by names somewhat similar to those of well known and respectable New York firms, promising, on the receipt of a certain sum, to send by mail some article, such as a gold watch, books, &c., worth four times the amount. Of course the goods are never sent, and the luckless victims either never hear anything further of their investments, or the sharpers answer their complaints by a lying letter, asserting that the remittance never reached them. Other scoundrels make use of the post office for the circulation of obscene books and prints, and flood the country with their circulars, offering their filthy wares for sale. We understand that a quietus will ere long be given to the disgusting traffic of these latter gentry, by the passing of a law authorizing postmasters to exclude these corrupt publications from the mails.

MAILS FOR CALIFORNIA, OREGON AND WASHINGTON TERRITORY.—The editor of this paper and the Postmaster of New York are in the daily receipt of letters asking how the mails are sent to California, &c., how often it is despatched, the dates of the departure of steamers, &c., &c. It seems that, notwithstanding the overland mail has been in operation since last June, and Congress has expressly forbidden the transmission of the above mails otherwise than across the continent, people generally, and even New York merchants engaged in the California trade, suppose that their letters are still sent by steamer. To all such we wish to state, in the plainest terms, that the mails to the Pacific States are sent overland, that they are despatched twice each day from the New York office, and six times a week from St. Joseph, Mo.

Markets.

PHILADELPHIA STOCK BOARD.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6, 1862.

Stocks strong. Pennsylvania 5's, 90; Reading Railroad, 24; Morris Canal, 45; Long Island Railroad, 15½; Pennsylvania Railroad, 47¼. Sight exchange on New York at par a 1-10 per cent premium.

PHILADELPHIA, May 6, 1862.

Flour firm: sales 1,000 bbls. at $5 25 for superfine. Wheat firm: sales 5,000 bushels: red at $1 33 a 1 35; white, $1 40 a 1 45. Corn steady; yellow, 55½c. a 57c.; white, 63c. Coffee—Rio, 18c. a 20c. Pork—Mess, $12 75. Lard, 8½c. Whiskey firm at 24c.

BUFFALO, May 6—1 P. M.

Flour quiet. Wheat steady: sales of Chicago spring at 87c. a 90c.; red winter, $1 08. Corn better: sales at 40c. Oats 2c. better: sales at 34c., with good demand. Whiskey firm and in good demand: sales 600 bbls. at 22c. a 22½c. Canal freights lower—15c. on wheat and 13c. on corn to New York. Imports—11,000 bbls. of flour, 50,000 bushels of wheat and 40,000 bushels of corn. Exports—600 bbls. of flour, 248,000 bushels of wheat, 393,000 bushels of corn and 16,000 bushels of barley.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY, May 6—6 P. M.

The following is a comparative statement of the exports (exclusive of specie) from the port of New York to foreign ports for the week ending May 6 and since January 1:—

	1860.	1861.	1862.
For the week	$2,064,967	2,311,121	1,931,299
Previously reported	27,686,627	42,536,031	40,603,626
Since Jan. 1	$29,751,594	44,847,152	42,534,925

Though less than the export of last year, the above return is not unsatisfactory. At this rate, we shall export this year, from this port, $120,000,000 of produce, exclusive of gold and independently of Southern produce. Adding our exports of gold to our exports of produce, we shall probably export as much as we import, and if any money comes here from abroad for investment in American securities the balance will turn in our favor.

Money is very easy at 4 a 5 per cent on call. Certificates of indebtedness sold to-day at 99⅞, and bankers' short acceptances at 4 per cent. Capitalists seem, as a general rule, to be seeking employment for their money on the Stock Exchange.

Foreign exchange and gold fell off this morning. Bankers refused to sell below 114; but there were no buyers at that rate. Gold opened at 103⅝, fell off to 103, then to 102¾, and closed 102⅝ bid.

This has been another very exciting day on the Stock Exchange. The number of outside orders for stocks exceeds all previous experience; the first board did not adjourn till 2 P. M. Early in the day the prices of some of the speculative shares showed a tendency to decline, in consequence of sales to realize profits; but as the day advanced new buyers came in, and the market again became buoyant. A rumor to the effect that General McDowell had taken Richmond was set afloat in the afternoon, and, though generally discredited in well informed circles, it had its influence on the market, as, at the worst, it is taken for granted that General McDowell will be in Richmond before many days, if he is not there now. At the morning board government sixes advanced ¼, Tennessees ¼, Missouris 1, Hudson ⅝, Harlem 1, Michigan Central 1, Rock Island 1, Toledo ⅛, Galena ⅝, Michigan Southern ⅛. The exceptions to the market were Pacific Mail, which declined ¾, and Illinois Central, which declined ¼. The stocks which the public seem to be most anxious to buy are Erie, Hudson, Illinois Central, Galena, Toledo and Rock Island. The public are likewise reported to be free buyers of gold. In the present money market gold can be carried for 1 per cent per annum, and prudent business men are insuring against a depreciation of the currency by purchases of coin on speculation. The banks are lending their gold to the speculators for a fall, who are borrowing the coin and selling it short. Before the second board commenced a renewed demand for Central, Erie, Toledo and Galena caused an advance in these securities of about ¼ a ⅝ per cent. At the second board there was again a great deal of realizing, and prices in some instances fell off ¼. Central fell back to 88⅞, after having sold at 89⅛. Erie was done at 39½. But Toledo and the Western shares generally were very firm. The market was called unsettled at the close, the following prices being the authorized quotations at half-past three:—United States 6's, registered, 1881, 101⅝ a ⅞; do. 6's, coupon, 1881, 101⅞ a 102; do. 5's, 1874, 94 a 94; Indiana 5's, 84 a 86; Tennessee 6's, 60⅞ a 61; Virginia 6's, 58 a 59½; North Carolina 6's, 71¾ a 72; Missouri 6's, 52⅞ a 53; Pacific Mail, 117½ a 118; New York Central, 88½ a ¾; Erie, 39¼ a ⅜; do. preferred, 66¾ a 67; Hudson River, 40⅛ a 41; Harlem, 14¾ a 15; do. preferred, 36½ a 37; Reading, 48 a ¼; Michigan Central, 61⅛ a ¼; Michigan Southern and Northern Indiana, 25¼ a ⅜; do. guaranteed, 49¾ a 50; Panama, 129½ a 130; Illinois Central, 63¼ a ⅜; Galena and Chicago, 71¾ a 72; Cleveland and Toledo, 46⅛ a ⅞; Chicago and Rock Island, 62 a ¼; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 69¼ a 70; Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien, 29¼ a ½; Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, 114½ a ¾; New York Central 7's, 1876, 105 a 106; Erie third mortgage bonds, 97 a ⅛; Michigan Central 8's, first mortgage, 104 a 105; Illinois Central bonds, 7's, 91¼ a ¾; gold, 102⅝ a ¾.

The United States have, in this war, revolutionized the science of finance as thoroughly as they have revolutionized the science of artillery, fortification and naval architecture. The custom of European governments, for the past century, when they wanted money to carry on a war, has been to effect a loan of a large sum, through the medium of leading bankers, who, in effect, imposed their own terms on the borrower. This is dogmatically pronounced by the leading British writers on finance to be the only sound and businesslike way of raising money. When the Emperor of the French, in 1855, undertook to raise money to carry on the war with Russia by a popular loan, without appealing to bankers, the British statesmen, financiers and journals predicted that the experiment would fail. It succeeded, however, so brilliantly that it has since been repeated, and the method may now be considered a settled feature of the French financial system. In this country, when the war began, we followed the beaten track, and Mr. Chase undertook to borrow money from the bankers, who were to sell their government securities to the public. It soon became evident, however, that we required so much money in so short a period of time to carry on the unexampled war in which the country was engaged that it was out of the power of any combination of banks and bankers to furnish funds fast enough for the purpose. Mr. Chase then resorted to the issue of paper money made a legal tender, and convertible into funded securities of the United States. When this plan was first proposed in this journal it was hailed with a perfect storm of denunciation by the partisans of the old methods in finance. British critics especially foresaw that the finances of the country were ruined; Mr. Russell predicted that the troops would be disbanded from want of money to pay them, and friendly observers in London expatiated upon the terrible financial crash which could not fail to occur in this country about the month of February last. We are now in a position to judge the expedient upon its merits. And there can be no hesitation in pronouncing it a perfect success. Resting on the substantial basis of a thorough system of taxation, the issue of paper money made a legal tender has proved the most simple and the most economical way of raising money ever devised. The very effects of the issue itself are going to secure its conversion into bonds. The bonds of 1881 are now selling at 102; the new bonds, into which the legal tender currency is convertible, will probably rule at or near par when they first come on the market. The moment they rise to a premium, which they will soon do, the holders of the legal tender currency will hasten to convert them. Mr. Chase will reissue, in payment of the ordinary expenses of government, the currency exchanged for bonds; and thus, practically, he will be paying the expenses of government with 6 per cent bonds, which the issue and reissue of his paper currency will always keep at a premium.

The Sub-Treasurer exchanged another half million of 7.30 Treasury notes for gold to-day. The business of the office was as follows:—

Receipts	$2,579,792 45
—For customs	179,000
Payments	1,074,425 52
Balance	16,883,637 23

The exchanges at the Bank Clearing House this morning were $29,334,095 63, and the balances $1,554,200 34.

Mr. R. T. Haws, the City Comptroller, invites proposals for $250,000 New York County Court House Loan, until Saturday, the 17th instant, at two o'clock P. M. The loan will bear interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable half yearly, and the principal redeemable in instalments of $100,000 annually, commencing in 1875.

The Chicago and Rock Island Railroad earned in April:—

April, 1862	$71,076
April, 1861	75,233
Decrease	$4,157

The earnings of the Michigan Central Railroad for the same month were:—

1861	$172,613 62
1862	175,695 80
Increase	$3,082 18

The weekly statement of the Philadelphia banks, made up Monday afternoon, presents the following aggregates as compared with those of the previous week:—

	April 28.	May 5.	
Capital stock	$11,965,355	11,964,195	Dec. $1,160
Loans	28,793,116	29,324,432	Inc. 531,316
Specie	6,052,827	6,049,635	Dec. 2,192
Due from oth. bks.	3,128,069	3,823,659	Inc. 695,590
Due to oth. banks.	4,470,674	4,531,837	Inc. 61,163
Deposits	20,223,556	21,316,614	Inc. 1,093,058
Circulation	3,613,994	3,759,592	Inc. 145,598

The Assistant Treasurer has issued the following notice:—

UNITED STATES TREASURY, NEW YORK, May 5, 1862.

Under instructions from the Secretary of the Treasury, I hereby give notice to all holders of certificates of deposit bearing interest, issued prior to the 14th day of March ultimo, and payable in "United States notes issued under acts prior to February 5, 1862," that they are required to present such certificates within ten days from the date hereof for payment of principal and interest, or for exchange for certificates payable in "lawful money of the United States." Any such certificates not so presented, will, after said ten days, be payable in such lawful money as the government may be usually paying out to the public creditors.

JOHN J. CISCO, Assistant Treasurer United States.

Stock Exchange.

TUESDAY, May 6, 1862.

$15000	U S 6's, '67	100	135 shs	N Y Con RR.	88¼
7900	do	100⅛	800	do	88⅜
5000	U S 6's, '68..reg	100	125	do	88⅛
12000	do	100⅛	610	do	88⅛
49000	U S 6's, '81, reg.	102	50	do	88⅛
86000	U S 6's, '81, cou.	102¼	50	do	88⅛
45000	do	102⅛	100	do	88⅛
10000	do	102¼	650	Erie RR	39
10000	do	102⅜	200	do	39
500	do	102⅛	100	do	39⅛
1000	U S 5's, '71, cou	95	100	do	39
5000	U S 5's, '74, reg	94	300	do	39¼
10000	U S 5's, '74, cou	94¼	100	do	39⅜
20000	do	94⅛	250	do	39⅛
10000	do	94¾	206	do	39⅛
46500	Tr 7 3-10pcn.sm	103½	966	Erie RR pref	66⅜
61000	do	103⅜	200	do	66½
10000	do	103⅜	550	do	66¼
1000	U S 6's, 1 y cer	99⅞	200	do	66¼
19000	do	99⅞	118	do	66⅜
5000	Ohio 6's, '60	102½	200	do	66¼
3000	Ohio 6's, '86	104	500	do	66
1000	Kentucky 6's	93	150	do	66⅜
2000	do	92⅜	50	do	66½
5000	Ill Cen reg bds.	95	1150	Hudson Riv RR.	40
2000	Ill war loan	97	100	do	40⅛
8000	do	97¼	100	do	40
7000	Indiana 5's	84½	10	do	39¾
5000	Tennessee 6's	61	100	do	40⅛
2000	do	60¾	850	Harlem RR	14¾
5000	do	60¾	300	do	14⅞
3000	do	60½	400	do	14¾
5000	do	60¼	25	Harlem RR pfd.	36⅛
5000	do	60	150	do	37
10000	do	60	175	do	36¾
2000	Virginia 6's	60	100	do	36⅞
7000	do	59¾	50	do	36¾
5000	do	59	9	Nor & Wor RR.	45
12000	N Carolina 6's	72	155	Mich Central RR.	60
3000	Missouri 6's	53	275	do	60¼
7000	do	52¾	100	do	60⅛
15000	do	52	245	do	60¾
34000	do	52¼	50	do b60	60⅜
30000	do b30	52⅜	150	do b30	60½
2000	do	52⅜	100	do b30	60⅜
11000	Mo 6's to H&SJR	62⅛	50	do s60	60⅜
1000	do	62¼	50	do b10	60½
5000	do b60	62⅜	189	Mich S&N Ind stk	50
10000	do	62	200	Mich So & N I RR	25½
1000	California 7's	92	750	do	25⅜
3000	do	91⅝	250	do	25⅛
3500	do	91¾	8	do	25
500	Brook city w l.	102	70	Panama RR	129½
11000	do	102⅛	100	Ill Cen RR scp. b60	64¼
8000	Erie RR 4 m bs	90	150	do b60	64
3000	Bull, N Y & E 1 m	90	300	do	64
3000	do	90¼	50	do	63¾
7000	Hud Riv RR 1 m	106½	150	do s10	63½
2000	Hud Riv 3 m bs	86½	50	do s10	63¼
5000	do	86¾	200	do s10	63⅜
4000	Harlem 1 m bs	101	250	do b30	64
1008	C, B&QRR8pcbs	103	50	do	63⅛
21500	Mich So 2d mge	75	100	do	63⅝
5000	Mi So skg fd bs	92⅜	200	do b10	63⅜
1000	do	92¼	100	do	63¼
5000	Ill Cen RR b. b30	91⅜	50	do b60	63⅜
500	do	91⅛	150	Cleve & Pitts RR.	19⅝
7500	do	91¼	200	do b30	19⅜
3000	La Cr & Mil 1 g b	20	200	do s30	19½
1000	Han&StJoRRbs	45	35	Clev, Col & Cin RR	114½
10000	Amer gold	103⅜	450	Galena & Chic RR	72½
45000	do	103⅜	450	do	72¼
20000	do	103¼	100	do b30	72⅛
70000	do s10	103	50	do b30	72⅜
5	shs Bk of N Y	97½	100	do	72⅜
30	do	100	150	do s60	72
10	Manhattan Bk	125	400	Cleve & Tol RR.	45⅛
10	Bk State of N Y.	90	800	do s60	45
35	Bk of Commerce.	98	1150	do	45½
75	do	97½	150	do	45⅜
35	Amer Ex Bank	95	850	Ch & Rock I RR.	62⅛
5	do	94¾	150	do s30	62¾
10	Bk of Republic	100	50	do b30	62¾
10	Hanover Bank	85	266	do	62¼
30	Irving Bank	80	100	do b30	62⅝
50	Metropolitan Bk.	102½	50	do b10	62½
5	Continental Bank.	95	200	do	62⅝
45	Commonwealth Bk	85	45	do	62
10	Del & Hud Canal Co	97	10	Ch, Br'n & Qy RR	67
400	Reading RR	48⅜	150	do	68
400	do	48⅜	50	do	68¾
125	Cumb Coal pref.	9¾	100	do	68½
100	do	9¾	50	M & P du C RR. b30	30
100	do	9½	50	do b60	30
90	Pac Mail SS Co	116	75	do	29¾
50	do s30	115¾	50	do	29½
110	do	116½	50	do	29¼
50	do	116¾	167	M & Pr du Ch 1 pre	85
50	do s30	116½	89	Tol & Wab RR	10
24	Penn Coal Co	88	112	Tol & Wab pref.	20

SECOND BOARD.

$100000	US 6's, '81, reg	101¾	20	shs Harlem RR	14¾
65000	U S 6's, '81, cou	102	800	do	15
9000	U S 5's, '74, cou	94	150	Mich Cent RR	61
1000	Treas 7 3-10pcnt	103	50	do	61⅛
20000	California 7's	91¾	50	do s60	61
10000	Brook city w l.	102¼	100	do s10	61
1000	Mich So sk f bds	92¾	100	Chi, Burl & Q RR.	70
5000	Harlem 1st m b	101½	250	Mich So & N Ind RR.	25½
5000	C, B&QRR8pcbs	103	200	do	25⅞
50000	American gold.	102¾	150	Mich So & N Ind stk	50
70000	do	102⅜	200	Ill Cent RR scrip.	63½
250	shs Pac Mail SS Co	118	100	Cleve & Pitts RR.	19¾
25	do	117¾	100	do	19⅞
200	N Y Cent RR. b30	89	150	do b30	19⅞
400	do	89	100	Galena & Chi RR.	72
109	do	88⅞	50	do b30	72¼
300	Erie RR	39¼	200	do s60	72
50	do	39¾	200	Cleve & Tol RR. b10	46
150	do b30	39½	800	do	46
200	do	39½	200	do b30	46½
100	Erie RR preferred	67¼	500	do	46½
188	do	67	100	Chi & Rk Isld RR.	62½
100	Hudson Riv RR.	40¼	50	do	62⅝
25	do	40¾	200	do b30	62¾

CITY COMMERCIAL REPORT.

TUESDAY, May 6—6 P. M.

ASHES.—The market was unchanged, and sales confined to small lots of both sorts, at $5 62½.

BREADSTUFFS.—Flour—The market was heavy and with increased receipts fell off 5c. a 10c. per barrel. The transactions embraced about 11,000 bbls., closing within the following range of prices:—

Superfine State	$5 00	a	5 10
Extra State	5 15	a	5 25
Superfine Western	5 00	a	5 10
Common to choice extra Western	5 15	a	6 50
Canadian	5 15	a	6 50
Southern mixed to good superfine	5 50	a	6 00
Extra do	6 10	a	7 00
Good to choice family do	7 00	a	7 50
Rye flour	3 00	a	4 10
Corn meal, Jersey and Brandywine	2 70	a	3 00

—Canadian flour was lower and more active at the concession, with sales of 1,000 bbls. within the range of the above quotations. Southern flour was heavy, but without change of moment, with sales of 1,600 bbls. within the range of the above figures. Rye flour was heavy and easier, with sales of 175 bbls. at our prices. Corn meal was in better request and more active, with sales of 1,500 bbls. Jersey and Brandywine at the above quotations. Wheat—The market was heavy and rather lower: some dealers called it lc. off. The sales in small lots footed up about 20,000 bushels, at $1 28 a $1 30 for red Western, with some lots of mixed State and Canada Club on private terms. Corn was steady and in fair demand, with sales of 40,000 bushels, at 56c. a 57c. for Western mixed, in store, and at 57½c. a 58c., delivered. Rye was firm, with sales of 5,000 bushels State at 82c. a 82½c., delivered. Barley and barley malt were in small supply and prices firm. Oats were firmer, with sales of Canadian and Western at 40c. a 42½c., and at 42½c. a 43½c. for State.

COFFEE.—No sales of moment transpired, and the market was quiet. The following statement of stocks, &c., is from the circular of Messrs. William Scott & Son, of this date:—Stock of Rio and Santos on the 29th of April, 1862, bags, 126,075; received since to date, 7,000; total, 133,075; sales and shipments for the week, 7,964. Stock of Rio and Santos on the 6th of May, 1862, bags, 125,111: Java, mats, 25,199; Java, government bags, 3,553; Ceylon, mats, 2,500; Maracaibo, bags, 18,978; Laguayra, 2,187; St. Domingo, 2,250; Ceara, 4,585; other descriptions, 2,126; total mats and bags, 186,482. Stock of Rio at Baltimore May 3, bags, 29,400; Philadelphia, 5,500 Quotations—Rio, prime, 21c. a 21½c.; do. good, 20c. a 20½c.; do. fair, 19c. a 19½c.; do. ordinary, 18c. a 18½c.; do. fair to good cargoes, 19c. a 20c.; Maracaibo, 21c. a 23c.; Laguayra, 21c. a 22c.; Java, mats and bags, 25c. a 26c., all four months; St. Domingo, 19c. a 19½c., cash.

COTTON.—The market was quiet, and scarcely enough sales made to make a market. The transactions in small lots did not exceed 100 bales, on the basis of about 27c. a 27½c.

FREIGHTS.—Rates were firmer. To Liverpool 15,000 bushels of wheat were engaged, in bulk and ships' bags, at 8d. a 8¼d., and 8,000 do. corn, in bulk, at 7½d.; 100 boxes hams at 27s. 6d.; 300 bbls. pork at 3s. 6d., and beef at 5s.; 50 hhds. shoulders at 26s.; 1,900 tierces lard at 25s. a 27s. 6d., and 3,500 bbls. flour at 2s. 4d. a 2s. 6d. To London 1,000 bbls. flour at 2s. 4d¼, with some tierce beef at 5s. 9d., and barrels of pork at 3s. 6d. a 3s. 9d. By steamer, 300 packages provisions at 40s. Rates to Havre were steady and unchanged. To Glasgow 25 tierces tallow were engaged at 25s.

HAY was firm, with sales reported for shipment at 70c. a 75c., and for city use at 75c. a 80c.

MOLASSES.—The market was steady, but quiet; a sale of 40 hhds. Cuba muscovado was made at 27c.

NAVAL STORES were firmly held, while supplies were extremely light.

PROVISIONS.—Pork—The market was firmer and more active: the sales embraced 1,700 bbls., on the spot, new mess, at $13, and 500 do. were sold for June delivery on the same terms; prime sold at $10 a $10 25; 500 thin mess sold at $12 a $12 25, and 500 do. do., to arrive, sold at $12 25. Beef was more active and prices were firm, with sales of 700 bbls. at $13 25 a $14 for plain mess, and $14 50 a $15 for extra. Beef hams were quiet at $16 75 a $17 50. Prime mess beef was inactive at $20. Cut meats were in good demand and rather firmer, with sales of 1,700 packages at 4¼c. a 4½c. for dry salted shoulders, and 5¼c. a 6½c. for hams, the latter for prime quality. Bacon was more active, and sales of 1,600 boxes were reported, at 6½c. for repacked short ribbed, 6¾c. for Cumberland cut, 7½c. for short ribbed and long clear, and 7½c. for short clear. Lard was firmer and in good demand, with sales of 3,000 packages at 8c. a 8¾c. Butter was plenty and tended towards lower prices; sales of State were making, in a moderate way, at 15c. a 17c., and of Ohio at 12c. a 15c. Cheese was steady, with sales of State at 8c. a 9c. No Ohio of moment was on the market.

RICE.—Sales of 500 bags of East India were made at 5¼c. a 5¾c., and 150 do. at 5 1-10c.

SUGARS.—The market was quiet, but steady. The firmness of holders tended to check sales, which embraced 300 hhds. Cubas, within the range of 6⅞c. for fair refining goods, and 7½c. a 7⅝c. for grocery grades. Fair refining sugars at the close were held at 7c.

SPICES.—A sale of 1,000 bags of pepper was made on private terms.

TOBACCO.—Trade continues light. Sales of 123 hhds. Kentucky at 7½c. a 14c.; 209 bales Cuba at p. t.

WHISKEY.—Sales of 500 bbls. were made at 25c. a 25½c. for State and Western.

Sales of Real Estate.

By A. J. Bleecker, Son & Co., Auctioneers.

3 story brick house and lot 315 Hicks st., Brooklyn. $3,500
Property No. 17 Ludlow st., near Hester. 4,020
1 lot on 4th av., near 90th st. 950

By James H. Miller and William Kennelly.

2 houses and lots e. s. 3d av., 20 ft. s. 50th st. $6,600
House and lot s. s. 14th st., bet. 5th and 6th avs. 6,500
House and lot cor. Washington and Bank sts. 5,100
House and lot adjoining. 1,200
House and lot s. s. 25th st., 78 feet w. 7th av. 3,000
House and lots. s. 16th st., 125 feet e. 6th av. 5,000
House and lot n. s. 30th st., 80 feet e. 3d av. 3,000
House and lot n. e. cor. 2d av. and 80th st. 1,420
Vacant lot adjoining. 825
Vacant lot adjoining. 810
House and lot in Jane st. 6,000
3 houses and lots s. e. cor. Lexington av. and 33d st. 8,500
House and lot No. 7 St. Marks place. 7,900
House and lot n. e. cor. 2d av. and 51st st. 5,475
House and lot cor. Jane st. and 8th av. 8,925
2 vacant lots e. s. Broadway, bet. 66th and 67th sts. 5,600
4 vacant lots n. s. 1st av., 50 feet s. 88th st. 2,325
1 vacant lot s. s. 37th st., 225 feet w. 2d av. 700
1 vacant lot s. s. 37th st., adjoining. 600

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

Married.

AUSTEN—HILLIKER.—At Brooklyn, on Friday, April 25, by the Rev. Ethan Crane, DAVID E. AUSTEN to MISS ADALINE F., daughter of John Hilliker, Esq.

CHAMBERS—FOSTER.—On Saturday, May 3, by Rev. Dr. Monroe, SAMUEL J. CHAMBERS to MISS MARY FOSTER, both of this city.

DEMPSEY—MAGUIRE.—On Sunday evening, May 4, by the Rev. Eugene Maguire, JAMES G. DEMPSEY to MARGARET F. MAGUIRE, all of this city.

LOUDER—VETTERLEIN.—In Philadelphia, on Thursday evening, May 1, at Christ church, by the Rev. Benjamin Dorr, D. D., assisted by the Rev. Mr. Faggo, Mr. STEPHEN T. LOUDER to Miss BERTHA F. VETTERLEIN, oldest daughter of Theodore H. Vetterlein, Esq., all of that city.

SMITH—BOYLE.—On Tuesday, May 6, by the Rev. S. Malone, at St. Peter and Paul's church, JOHN SMITH to Miss MARIA BOYLE, both of Williamsburg, Long Island.

Lancaster, Preston and Liverpool papers please copy.

WILBER—HILLER.—On Monday, May 5, at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. S. T. Searl, J. HERRICK WILBER to MARY HILLER, all of Leeds, Greene county, N. Y.

Died.

ACKEN.—In New Brunswick, N. J., on Monday, May 5, JOHN ACKEN, in the 66th year of his age.

The friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, without further notice, from his late residence in New Brunswick, on Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock. Train leaves foot of Cortlandt street at twelve o'clock. An extra train will leave New Brunswick for New York immediately after the funeral.

BUTTERWORTH.—The funeral of FREDERICK BUTTERWORTH, native of London, England, will take place from his late residence, 156 Johnson street, Brooklyn, this (Wednesday) morning.

BURRIDGE.—On Monday, May 5, PETER BURRIDGE, a native of the town of Granard, county Longford, Ireland, aged 38 years.

The friends of the family and those of his brothers are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 237 Elizabeth street, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at half-past one o'clock precisely. The remains will be interred in Calvary Cemetery.

COLLIER.—On Tuesday morning, May 6, Mrs. JANE COLLIER, widow of the late Daniel S. Collier, in the 53d year of her age.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 161 West Thirteenth street, on Thursday afternoon, at two o'clock.

New Orleans (La.) and Montgomery (Orange county, N. Y.) papers please copy.

CARPENTER.—On Wednesday, April 30, TIMOTHY CARPENTER, of Newcastle, Westchester county, in the 70th year of his age.

DODGE.—Suddenly, on Sunday, May 4, at the residence of her son, Wm. E. Dodge, SARAH CLEVELAND, widow of David L. Dodge, in the 82d year of her age.

Friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at one o'clock, from 203 Madison avenue, without further invitation.

DOTY.—On Tuesday morning, May 6, of scarlet fever, MARY EMILY, eldest daughter of Stephen S. and Marian Doty, aged 6 years, 1 month and 18 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father, No. 549 Broome street, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at three o'clock, without further invitation.

DUFFICY.—On Monday, May 5, of apoplexy, PETER DUFFICY, a native of the town of Elphin, county Roscommon, Ireland, aged 64 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his son-in-law, No. 119 East Eleventh street, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at one o'clock.

San Francisco papers please copy.

GILLOOLY.—On Tuesday, May 6, JOHN G. GILLOOLY, aged 20 years, 10 months and 17 days.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, No. 24 Thames street, on Thursday afternoon, at half-past two o'clock. The members of the Coughlin Guard are also requested to attend.

HAMILTON.—On Tuesday, May 6, Mrs. ELLEN HAMILTON, wife of Isaac Hamilton, aged 58 years.

The friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at three o'clock precisely, from her late residence, No. 55 Robinson street. The remains will be interred in Calvary Cemetery.

HAMILTON.—At Bergen, N. J., on Tuesday, May 6, ADELE CHARLOTTE, infant daughter of A. J. F. and Elise Hamilton, aged 7 months.

HOWELL.—On Tuesday, May 6, MARY ANN, daughter of John and Ann Howell, aged 3 years, 7 months and 24 days.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at two o'clock, from the residence of her parents, 118 West Broadway.

JOHNSTON.—On Monday, May 5, of consumption, MARY A. C., daughter of the late Rev. J. C. Johnston, aged 18 years and 1 month.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the Strong place Baptist church, corner of Degraw street and Strong place, South Brooklyn, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at one o'clock. Friends will please meet at the house of her mother, 755 Third avenue, between Fifteth and Fifty-first streets, New York, at eleven o'clock. The remains will be taken to Greenwood Cemetery for interment.

KELSEY.—On Tuesday, May 6, after a long and severe illness, Mr. ROBERT KELSEY, in the 46th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Wednesday) afternoon, at two o'clock, from his late residence, Fourth street, near Meserole street, Greenpoint.

LEE.—On Monday, May 5, MARGARET LEE, the beloved wife of Peter Lee, a native of the parish of Fulleycorbet, town of Lennon, county Monaghan, Ireland, in the 31st year of her age.

The friends and acquaintances of the family, and